

ALLEGED VIOLATION: On or about August 30, 1948, the defendants caused to be given to a firm engaged in the business of shipping butter in interstate commerce, a guaranty to the effect that no butter sold by the defendant would be adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

On or about August 23, 1950, the defendant shipped and delivered to the holder of the guaranty, at Mitchell, S. Dak., a quantity of butter that was adulterated.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the food consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of fly fragments, insect fragments, mites, manure, and rat or mouse hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the food had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: March 16, 1951. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$25 against each defendant.

17217. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Farmers Co-operative Creamery Co., a corporation. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 30006. Sample No. 75775-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: January 16, 1951, District of South Dakota, against the Farmers Co-operative Creamery Co., a corporation, Canton, S. Dak.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: On or about February 15, 1949, the defendant gave to a firm engaged in the business of shipping butter in interstate commerce, at Sioux Falls, S. Dak., a guaranty to the effect that no butter sold by the defendant would be adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act. On or about June 23, 1950, the defendant sold and delivered to the holder of the guaranty, at Sioux Falls, S. Dak., a quantity of butter that was adulterated.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of ants, fly fragments, insect fragments, manure, insect eggs, feathers, rat and mouse hairs, and sediment, and by reason of the use of filth-contaminated cream in its preparation; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product which contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: January 26, 1951. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$100.

CHEESE

17218. Adulteration of Primost cheese. U. S. v. Scriver L. Charlson (S. L. Charlson). Plea of guilty. Fine of \$100 on count 1; fine of \$100 on count 2 suspended and defendant placed on probation for 1 year. (F. D. C. No. 29651. Sample Nos. 85234-K, 85594-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 29, 1950, District of Minnesota, against Scriver L. Charlson, trading as S. L. Charlson, Dennison, Minn.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 26 and August 3, 1950, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Iowa and North Dakota.

LABEL, IN PART: "Charlson's Home Made Primost One Pound Net Weight S. L. Charlson Dennison, Minn."